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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Cancelled)

2. (Currently Amended) A clamp for concrete forms according to Claim [[1]] 5, wherein

end parts of the pair of clamp arms the first and second joint legs are jointed by a shaft whose end

is riveted to each other so as to be rotatable, and ends the end parts of the pair of third and fourth

arms are jointed by a shaft whose end is riveted so that the clamp lever body is turnable with

respect to one the second clamp arm.

3. (Currently Amended) A clamp for concrete forms according to Claim [[1]] 5, wherein

a riveted part of a clamp body the first and second joint legs extend[[s]] in a substantially straight

manner when the opening in the clamp lever body is disengaged from the outer shoulder cam

surface, and the first and second joint legs are angled with respect to one another in a

substantially triangular shape when the opening is engaged with the outer shoulder cam surface if

an opening part between the pair of arm parts of the clamp lever body is not engaged with the L-

shaped bent shoulder part of the other clamp arm, while the riveted part is bent in a substantially

triangular shape if the opening part is engaged therewith.

4. (Currently Amended) A clamp for concrete forms according to Claim [[1]] 5, wherein

the outer shoulder cam surface is located on an L-shaped bent shoulder part of the other first

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clamp arm to be engaged with the opening part between the pair of arm parts of a clamp lever

body has and comprises a raised surface part which is smoothly curved outwardly.

5. (New) A clamp for concrete forms, comprising:

a first substantially L-shaped clamp arm having a first clamp leg with an outer shoulder

cam surface, and a first joint leg extending about 90° to the first clamp leg;

a second substantially L-shaped clamp arm having a second clamp leg located opposite to

the first clamp leg, and a second joint leg extending about 90° to the second clamp leg and

rotatably jointed to the first joint leg; and

a clamp lever body comprising third and fourth arms defining an opening, each of the

third and fourth arms having an end part rotatably jointed to the second joint leg;

wherein two or more frames located between the first and second clamp legs are pressed

against each other while the opening in the clamp lever body is engaged by the outer shoulder

cam surface on the first clamp arm.

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